

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 522**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

**Walter F. Timilty**

*To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:*

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the passage of the accompanying bill:

**An Act Relative to a Commission on Advertisements.**

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Walter F. Timilty	7th Norfolk
Bruce J. Ayers	1st Norfolk

# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

## AN ACT RELATIVE TO A COMMISSION ON ADVERTISEMENTS.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1           There is hereby established a special commission to study the feasibility of permitting  
2 private sector advertising on city and town school buses. The Commission shall study and  
3 analyze whether private sector advertising on state websites is a practicable initiative to generate  
4 revenue.

5 The Commission shall consist of 3 members of the Senate, 5 members of the House of  
6 Representatives, and 3 persons to be appointed by the governor.

7 Said study shall include, but not be limited to, the issue of fair market compensation for use of  
8 state property, the ability to screen advertisements and the authority of state agencies to sell  
9 advertising space.

10 The Commission shall issue a report no later than 270 days after its first organizational meeting.